IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Richard D. Morgan, Tanya Bhatia

Application No.: 10/616,689   Group No.: 1652
Filed: 07/10/2003   Examiner: Patterson
For: Novel Type II Restriction Endonuclease, CstMI, Obtainable from *Corynebacterium Striatum* M82B
and a Process for Producing the Same

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2.   Applicant is a small entity. Small entity status was already asserted

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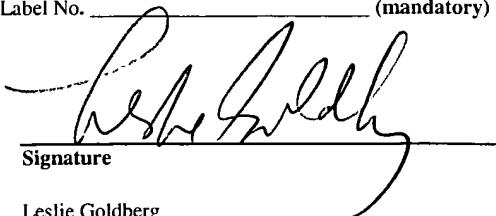
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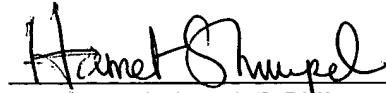
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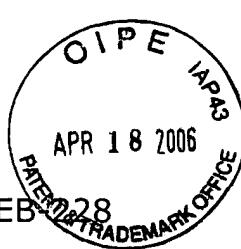
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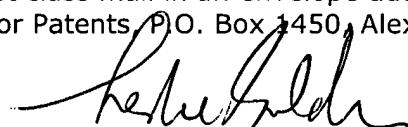
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Amendment

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 7, 2005,
Applicants wish to amend the above-identified Application as
presented herein. The listing of claims begins on page 2 of this paper.
Changes to the Specification appear on page 4 of this paper. The
Remarks and Conclusion sections begin on page 6 and 10,
respectively.